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A man is always nearest to his good when at home and farthest from it when away.—Timothy Titcomb.

STICK TO THE POINT

Sheriff Jarrett's tenacious apologist-of-the-breakfast-table appears a little irritated because this paper called attention yesterday to the inglorious part that the police chief played during the labor raids of April, 1911.

Either unconsciously or wilfully,—let us say the former, for the sake of sensitive feelings,—the morning paper entirely overlooks the point made by the Star-Bulletin. That point is that the police department was disorganized at a crisis, at a time when labor troubles were gathering thick and fast, when crowds were fast becoming mobs along the waterfront. The morning paper tries to say that Jarrett and Rose did not help Attorney Kinney because they did not wish to help carry out Kinney's policy for holding the laborers here. But be it remembered once and for all that Jarrett finally went to Kinney and asked him what to do,—but that Jarrett came too late. That fact forever disposes of the argument that the sheriff's failure to act was because of any sympathy for the laborers, or because he believed the laws weren't fair.

Whether the laws were right or weren't right, the fact remains that on the night when several hundred laborers were corraled on the waterfront and taken out to the steamship Senator, the police department was inexcusably disorganized. There might have been a serious riot on the wharves, and Jarrett failed to make preparations.

We observe with considerable amusement that the morning paper says "the opposition to the reelection of Sheriff Jarrett has dwindled down to a review of his actions in regard to the steamer Senator episode." Oh, no, good friend of the breakfast-table! The opposition hasn't dwindled down. The Star-Bulletin has merely pointed out from time to time wherein Jarrett's administration has failed, and shown that the fault with the police department is laxity, is negligence, beginning with the good-humored sheriff himself.

The opposition hasn't dwindled down, but we pass from one "episode" to another because there isn't room to deal with all of the subject on one page. There are other "episodes" to come.

It is this paper's firm conviction that the office of sheriff is the most important office in the city and county of Honolulu, and that every good citizen, who pays taxes for the protection of himself and his family, for the preservation of order, for the stamping out of vicious influences and evil crime, is entitled to the benefits of a strong and well-organized police department.

Why is it that citizens like Judge Sanford B. Dole and W. A. Bowen are earnestly advocating the election of Capt. Robert Parker as sheriff? Because they have seen what is going on now in the police department; because they are convinced that Capt. Parker will be a better sheriff, at the head of a better department. That is why.

WORK FOR A REPUBLICAN LEGISLATURE

Delegate Kuhio is giving his fellow-candidates the heartiest support he knows how, and for some of the very plantation men who lined up with the anti-Kuhio forces last spring he is now making votes. He is speaking for all the Republican candidates for the legislature.

On Maui he campaigned for H. B. Penhallow, and Penhallow's fight, according to reports, began to assume distinctly brighter prospects when the prince put his shoulder to the wheel. He spoke also for Kalama, who is having a tough tussle with William J. Coelho, Coelho having turned Democrat. On Hawaii he worked for Beckley and Fernandez, as against the split ticket of Metzger and Fernandez. On Oahu he is speaking nightly on behalf of Dowsett, Renton and Kaleipu for the senate, and for the entire representative tickets.

Delegate Kuhio asks a Republican legislature that will carry out the Republican platform, the platform for which he is largely responsible, particularly for the land plank.

"That platform is the most progressive ever written in this territory, and I ask that you elect a progressive Republican legislature that will carry out its pledges," says the delegate to the voters. It is an entirely reasonable request, and it takes no partisan to admit that if Hawaii wishes the improvements of a direct primary,

public utilities commission and more liberal land laws, there ought to be in the legislature men who are pledged to put these improvements through with the aid of Delegate Kuhio and the national Congress.

JOURNALISM AND POLITICS

Collier's Weekly is probably the most influential weekly paper in America. It wields a power in national politics as great as if not greater than any daily paper. For some weeks past Collier's has been pro-Roosevelt and pro-Wilson, without perceptible leaning either way.

Because of its great influence, the announcement that Collier's editor has resigned and that the paper would swing definitely to the Bull Moose camp, is of very wide interest. The announcement sent out from New York is reported in a newspaper as follows:

New York, Oct. 13.—Norman Hapgood has resigned as editor of Collier's Weekly. Collier's henceforth becomes a progressive paper and will support Colonel Roosevelt, instead of Governor Wilson as formerly.

This change of political faith, however, is not the cause of Mr. Hapgood's resignation, according to the former editor. Mr. Hapgood said at his home today that he was not inclined to give the reason for his resignation unless Mr. Collier made public some definite reason.

Mr. Collier, in handing out his statement, amplified it orally. "I like Mr. Hapgood," he said. "I would rather be hurt myself than to hurt him, but unfortunately we differ on a question of politics." He was asked if that meant that he would swing Collier's to Colonel Roosevelt. "Yes, you bet it does," he replied.

"Then you will become editor of Collier's?" "Yes, God help me, I guess I'll have to go to work." When Mr. Collier's oral remarks as well as his statement, were communicated to Mr. Hapgood, the latter prepared a statement in which he said: "I agree with Mr. Collier that there are differences, but I regret to say that he has not named the real one. The situation was created many months ago through causes best not stated. At last he turned over to Mr. Patterson, his advertising manager, now made general manager, the complete power over every department."

At some variance with the reported switch to Roosevelt is an editorial announcement in Collier's for October 26. Norman Hapgood's name as editor is replaced by that of Robert J. Collier, but editorially the paper declares: "Fortunately, Collier's has no vote, and therefore can be friendly to two candidates at once, and will have fulfilled its function in this campaign if it presents the issues fairly to its readers. Collier's undertakes only to interpret fairly the character of the candidates and sincerity of the claims on which they ask election, and the problems involved as far as we can understand them."

This is good doctrine, and a policy to which it is hard to take exception. The aim of any paper, daily, weekly or monthly, which deals with politics, ought to be to present to its readers the issues involved, to make an attempt to interpret fairly the character of the candidates, and to point out something of their records in the past. Such has been the policy of the Star-Bulletin in the present campaign, and it has carried out this policy without the slightest personal rancor or feeling toward any candidate of any party.

Ordinarily the Star-Bulletin declines to take up an issue of misrepresentation arising from matter published in another paper, but Chairman R. W. Shingle of the Republican Territorial central committee is certainly entitled to fair play in reports of his speeches on as vital a topic as to whether or not Kuhio is opposing the confirmation of Gov. Frear. For that reason, prominence is given today to Mr. Shingle's statement concerning what the morning paper said about him. The delegate can hardly be blamed for refusing to be bluffed into making a statement by a paper that is fighting him with the kind of weapons used by the morning sheet.

Charles A. Stanton returns from California with the declaration that Col. Sam Parker has an immense acquaintance in the Golden Gate state and that his election as mayor of Honolulu would be heralded far and wide, resulting in much desirable publicity. That's one common-sense argument for Parker's election that ought to convince a lot of Fourth district voters.

"Two Hundred Thousand Turks Engaged" says a headline,—not, however, referring to a possible increase in the harems.

"Tariff" is pronounced this season with a strong accent on the last syllable.

The soapbox is the coffin of several political aspirations this campaign.

This war on Turkey seems to be a harem-scare affair.

PERSONALITIES

B. W. HAVERFIELD of Chicago is registered at the Young.
PARKER DEAN of Alhambra, Cal., is a guest at the Young.
A. HEATER, of San Francisco, is making a tour of the islands.
W. W. COZENS of Ocean Island is in the city on a short business trip.
A. W. EAMES came up from Wahiawa yesterday on a short business trip.

C. E. STAFFORD of New York city arrived on the Siberia this morning on a pleasure trip to the islands.

MISS H. N. DUNCAN and Mr. and Mrs. William Pullar, of Honolulu, are in the city on a shopping tour.

J. CLAYTON NICHOLS was an incoming passenger on the Siberia this morning. He hails from Manila.

G. T. KNIGHT of Victoria, B. C., arrived in the city this morning on the Siberia for a short stay in the islands.

DR. G. H. STOVER and Mrs. Stover of Denver, Col., arrived on the Siberia this morning and are registered at the Young.

S. M. DAMON returned from a business and pleasure trip to the mainland as a passenger in the Pacific Mail liner Siberia.

S. F. CHILLINGWORTH, JR., is back from a trip to the coast. He was an arrival in the Pacific Mail liner Siberia this morning.

MRS. LOUISE SCHALLER, in company with Miss Mayme Hodge, was a passenger on the Siberia and is registered at the Young.

CHARLES N. MARQUEZ returned this morning from a business and purchasing trip to the mainland. He was a passenger in the Siberia.

MR. AND MRS. JOHN WATERHOUSE of Alexander & Baldwin, are back from an extended trip on business and pleasure to the mainland.

MONTAGUE LORD, who has been a luna on Waiialua plantation for some time, leaves in the Siberia to assist in the recruiting of labor in the Philippines.

GEORGE F. DAVIES, accompanied by Mrs. Davies, returning from a visit to the mainland, were passengers in the Siberia arriving from San Francisco this morning.

WONG IN, who for some time has been manager of the Canton Dry Goods Company, has resigned on account of ill-health and will leave for the far east in the near future.

JOHN TRAYNOR, a prominent steel manufacturer of San Francisco, arrived on the Siberia this morning accompanied by his daughter, Mrs. A. E. Sim, and will make a tour of the islands.

CHARLES A. STANTON, a well-known real estate promoter, who had much to do with the settlement of the Kaimuki district, returned to the islands this morning as a passenger in the Siberia.

J. A. M. JOHNSON, a former Honolulu businessman, was given a warm welcome upon his return to the islands as a passenger in the liner Siberia. Johnson has applied for immediate membership to the local "Come-Back Club."

O. A. STEVEN, who has been recruiting Filipino labor for the Hawaiian plantations for some years, sustained a slight stroke of paralysis, affecting his right side, at Hongkong on October 25. Daily cables of his condition have been coming ever since to the planters' association, which have been of increasing cheerfulness. Yesterday's bulletin in these words: "Steven sitting up; almost fully recovered; leaves Tenyo." Mr. Steven lately spent a short time here on his way back from a vacation on the mainland. It is believed that he went from Manila to Hongkong. His return here in the Tenyo Maru is likely to recuperate.

DR. ST. D. G. WALTERS, of Honolulu, who was a resident of San Francisco thirty years ago, arrived from the islands on the liner Siberia yesterday. Advised by his physician that he probably would not live more than three months, Walters went to Honolulu as a last recourse, and he has been there ever since. Climatic changes effected a complete recovery of the physician, who resumed his practice in Honolulu. A year ago an automobile accident resulted in the death of Mrs. Walters, and since then the doctor has been planning his present visit to this city, which is the first in thirty years. He is staying at the Bohemian Club renewing old acquaintances.—Examiner.

THREE NEW ELECTION INSPECTORS APPOINTED

The following new election inspectors were appointed this morning by the Governor to take the places left vacant by previous appointees who by absence or for other reasons are unable to serve at the polls next Tuesday: W. C. Parker, fifth precinct of the fourth representative district; W. B. Thomas, sixteenth precinct of the fifth representative district, and W. F. Soper, thirteenth precinct of the fifth representative district.

Some men smile in the face of adversity, but they don't mean it.

SMUGGLED PUP AROUSED IRE

A fine of fifteen dollars and court costs was levied against M. Brasen, a well known business man, and also Captain J. J. Cowell, master of the Oceanic liner Ventura, charges of illegal landing of a diminutive puppy being filed by officials connected with the Territorial board of agriculture.

The small canine was brought from the coast to Honolulu when Mr. and Mrs. Brasen returned from a recent visit to the mainland as passengers in the Ventura.

Territorial Medical Officer Case visited the liner immediately upon the Ventura coming to the wharf, and was told by the officers in the vessel that one dog was to be landed at this port. The Territory has for some time past imposed a four months quarantine on all dogs entering the Territory from the Pacific Coast and the Brasen doggie of course came under that category.

It was alleged by the Territorial veterinarians that the dog in question was brought ashore under cover, the claim being that a member of the steward's department removed the animal from the ship concealed in the ample folds of a large towel.

The local officers awaited the arrival of the Ventura this morning and Captain Cowell was notified to appear before the district magistrate for a hearing.

Mr. Brasen was also requested to come before Judge Larnach.

After the hearing of testimony on both sides, the court found both the skipper in the Ventura and the business man guilty of an infraction of the Territorial quarantine regulations and ordered each to settle a fine of \$15.

Y. W. C. A. HOMESTEAD VISITED BY GHOSTS

The Homestead on King street abounded with ghosts and spooks last night who were present at the Halloween party given under the auspices of the physical department of the Young Women's Christian Association. They came in great numbers and from the size of the gathering it seemed very probable that all the spooks throughout the city had abandoned their play elsewhere and had chosen the Homestead for their evening's entertainment.

The rooms were appropriately decorated for the occasion with black cats and witches while ghostly lights and illuminated jack-o'-lanterns lurked in the dark corners. The guests had come in various costumes, and there were Indians, soldiers, cowgirls, three or four dozen ghosts, any number of Mephistopheles, Japanese girls, and a Little Red Riding Hood.

As the guests arrived they were escorted to the various places of amusement which were The Valley of Misery, The Valley of Wisdom, The Valley of Mishap, The Valley of Good Luck, The Valley of Expectation, The Valley of Matrimony, The Valley of Good Taste, The Valley of Dislike, The Valley of Merriment, The Valley of Unhappiness and The Valley of God Fortune. Perhaps the greatest amusement of the evening was the fortune-telling booth which was presided over by Mrs. Thurstell, and around which the girls gathered eager to learn what the future had in store for them.

Refreshments in keeping with the occasion were served on the lanai, and following this all present were called in the living room where ghost stories were told. Miss Ruth Benedict and Miss MacDougal told one entitled "The Screaming Skull" which was a most harrowing tale.

The guests departed at a late hour and all voted that they had had a most hilarious time.

The affair last night was the beginning of a series of social events that will be given by the association this winter.

HONOLULU IRON WORKS IS LOWEST BIDDER

The following bids were opened yesterday by the Department of Public Works for supplying 375 tons of cast iron piping, to be used in the water department:

Honolulu Iron Works, \$33.25 per ton; Catton, Neill Company, \$35.74 per ton, and Hackfeld & Co., \$36.30 per ton.

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King Street	\$ 30.00
Kaimuki	\$20.00, \$30.00, \$35.00
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